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SUBJECT
AREA: MissilesDISTRIBUTION:
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TITLE/SIGNIFICANCE: Probable Air-Transportable U/I Missile Support Equipment that may be associated with mobile missile programs.

COMMENT: Two pieces of U/I missile support equipment (MSE) were seen on a special AN-22 Cock hardstand at a VTA Airfield 250 nm S/W of Moscow. Near-identical pieces of MSE were first seen in Moscow in June 1973, in an area which has tentative mobile missile program associations. Both pieces of MSE are uniquely configured, having tow-bars at either end.

The shorter MSE is 10 feet wide 25X1

The AN-22 is the only present Soviet aircraft that can accommodate either item. These pieces of MSE might be seen at or near airfields where the AN-22 is based or has been seen, or at any airfield with a runway 8,000 feet or longer, including the Soviet Arctic staging bases. For confirmation.

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LOCATION(S)
Moscow Recon Target Area
Seshcha Airfield

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